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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
 Robert William Bruce et al.)
 Ser. No. 10/086,150)
 Filed: Oct. 22, 2001)
 For: ARTICLE PROTECTED BY THERMAL BARRIER)
 COATING HAVING A SINTERING INHIBITOR,)
 AND ITS FABRICATION)

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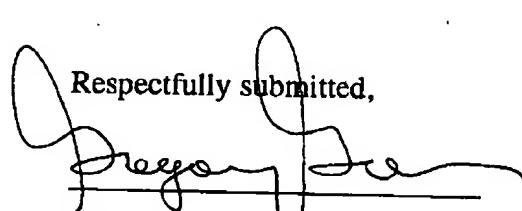
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Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Applicant petitions for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action of January 22, 2003. A Fee Transmittal authorizing payment of the petition fee is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,


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